



MEDIA RELEASE

FILE: 22-8987
INCIDENT: Attempted Homicide - Shooting
DATE OF INCIDENT: December 12, 2022
TIME OF INCIDENT: 1:06 pm
LOCATION: Peppertree Way and Sycamore Drive
VICTIM(S): Group of confidential individuals
SUSPECT(S): Malik Jefferson (23-year-old male, Livermore resident)

On December 12, 2022, at approximately 1:06 pm, the Antioch Police Department's Communications Center received numerous calls reporting a shooting near Peppertree Way and Sycamore Drive. Officers immediately responded to the scene and did not locate a gunshot wound victim. They did locate evidence, including video surveillance, which indicated there was a shooting that took place.

The Antioch Police Departments Gang Unit and Special Investigations Unit began investigating the shooting. Through the course of their investigation, they learned Malik Jefferson was the suspect. On February 16, 2023, our Gang Unit and Special Investigations Unit located Jefferson driving on Vasco Road in Brentwood. A traffic enforcement stop was conducted, and Jefferson was taken into custody. A search warrant was served at Jefferson's residence in Livermore.

Jefferson was booked into the Martinez Detention Facility for attempted murder and several other felony firearm related offenses. Anyone who witnessed this incident or may have information pertaining to it, is encouraged to contact Detective Becerra at abecerra@antiochca.gov. You may also next an anonymous tip to 274637 (CRIMES) using the keyword ANTIOCH.

Media Note: Any further inquiries into the status of this case should be done through the Public Information Officer at the information below.

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